

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

SB 2167 – HB 2783

January 20, 2012

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires the Tennessee Alcoholic Beverage Commission (ABC) to promulgate rules and regulations to place further restrictions on the sale of certain high alcohol content beverages. The restrictions include limiting the quantity sold to a single customer in one day by a retail package store and limiting the amount of such product sold or served to a single customer in one day at an on-premises licensed location.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Currently, the amount that a manufacturer of beverages having an alcohol content of more than five percent by weight, who is licensed to sell its products at its retail location, is limited to no more than five gallons or one-sixth of a barrel per visit by an individual to the premises.
- According to ABC, any costs incurred to conduct a rule making hearing will not be significant and can be accommodated within existing resources.
- According to the Department of Revenue, there will be no fiscal impact to state or local government.
- It is estimated that the implementation and regulation of new rules put in place by ABC will not result in a significant impact to state or local government.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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